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SUBJ: VENEZUELAN AIR FORCE CRASH AT LAJES AFB, AZORES

REF: LISBON 6066

1. STATION OPERATIONS AT LAJES AFB HAS RECEIVED MESSAGE FROM AIR TERMINAL NAS BERMUDA (DTG 040230Z) STATING THERE WERE NO REPEAT NO U.S. CITIZENS ABOARD THE VENEZULAN AIR FORCE C-130 WHICH CRASHED AT LAJES AFB ON SEPT. 3 AT 2244Z (2144 LOCAL).

2. BEST INFORMATION AT THE MOMENT INDICATES THERE WERE 58 PASSENGERS AND 10 CREW MEMBERS ABOARD. PASSENGERS WERE MZMBERS OF A CHORAL GROUP FROM THE CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF VENEZUELA ON WAY TO A FESTIVAL IN BARCELONA. EVIDENTLY, PLANE MISSED RUNWAY DURING HEAVY FOG. THERE WERE NO SURVIVORS.
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